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Applicant: Seisuke MORIOKA et al.

Serial No.: 09/423,415

Filed: November 5, 1999

Title: IMAGE PROCESSING UNIT AND  
IMAGE PROCESSING METHOD

Art Unit: 2672

Examiner: A. Blackman

AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the outstanding Office Action dated March 19, 2002, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 10 and 21 without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter recited therein.

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Please replace claims 11-15, 20 and 22-26 with the following claims:

11. The apparatus of claim 14, further comprising a frame buffer, wherein said processor stores image data in said frame buffer.

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